Several Narrow Escapes in Mrs. Rosenberg Threatens to Blaze Which Destroyed Pike's Opera-House and Other **Prominent Buildings.** 

an Actor Who Tried to Save His Baggage and a Watchman the Only Persons Hurt.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 26 .- The most de-

Crossman's company, and Night Watch-man Frank Keenan. Keenan was caught under falling walls and fatally things.

"I have been treated in a disgraceful

Some Narrow Escapes.

keeper of the theatre, saved six lives by society. entering the building and forcing their "I am certainly justified in doing so. way through the smoke and rescuing Fifty thousand dollars is a large sum. way through the smoke and rescuing lodgers in the Pike Building. Five men were asleep in a rear room of the structure when they were rescued by having their doors broken in. They were John Mulvern, B. W. Zeigler, H. C. Storey, J. F. McDonald and W. C. Ashker, All escaped in their night clothes, Agin. Richardson and Garretson proceeded through the building, giving

The guests of four hotels in the immediate vicinity of the blaze—the Burnet, Gibson, Emery and Stag—were in a state of semi-panic for some time, all having been called from sleep and orthe upper floors.

of Police in directing a big squad of men to keep order. Every fireman in Cincinnati was on duty, and scores of volunteers stood ready for a call to aid.

Telephonic communication was all to aid.

Telephonic communication was cut off by damage done to the telephone buildblaze was discovered.

Wooed Them All and Got Their Money, and May Now Think MARRIES Sing Sing.

Four and twenty little men, sitting in a row. Which of them I long for I don't know. I can't excite it quite:
I'll think it over to-night
And tell row when I see you in the morning.
Edna Wallace Hopper in "The Silver Slipper Probably Jacob Kaufman never heard

his song, because it is sung a long way from the Thalia on the Bowery, but the sentiment must have appealed to him. reversed, when he was arraigned before Judge Foster in the Court of General Bessions to-day with twenty-four widows lined up as witnesses against him.

If he wants to tell about it in the before Jacob sees New York again

could talk through the mat on his face | Magistrate.

Begin Action for Damages Society for Expelling Her.

HOTEL GUESTS IN PANIC. GETS WRIT OF MANDAMUS.

"This is not the end." said Mrs. structive fire in the history of this city burned eight hours early to-day, wiped out several prominent buildings at Vine pulsion without a hearing from the so-Opera-House, and caused a loss of the most exciting dissensions in women's \$3,000,000. societies in late years. "I am gratified So far as known no lives were lost and with Judge Bischoff's issuing the per-Jones, an actor a member of Henrietta me, but my honor cannot be questioned as it has been done without my taking

manner such as no woman would stand without a further attempt at vindica-There were some narrow escapes, tion, and while I cannot say just what Night Watchmen John Agin and Mat I will do I will not deny that I may Garretson and Harry Richardson, door- bring a suit for damages against the

clothes, Agin. Richardson and Garretson to be expelled without a hearing—it was all too terrible. Yesterday's Court decision was just what I expected, but as companied to the structure themselves to be admitted to any to third. tive bureau, who was asleep on the third for, was awakened and escaped in his night clothes. He lost all the records lawyers, and with their advice I shall lawyers, and with their advice I shall lawyers. of his office. Nothing was saved from vindicate my honor. This trouble has

having been called from sleep and or- cretly expressed against me among the dered to get ready to leave the buildings.

Excitement prevailed all over the city and thousands thronged from every section to watch the fire. Mayor Fleischmann was present and assisted the Chief the society are all my friends: it is the creating that the would not consent to the society are all my friends: it is the creating that the would not consent to the society are all my friends: it is the creating that the would not consent to the society are all my friends: it is the creating that the would not consent to the society are all my friends: it is the creating that the would not consent to the society are all my friends: it is the creating that the would not consent to the society are all my friends: it is the creating that the would insist on using that the would not consent to the society are all my friends: it is the consult my physician; but it was not until my physician; but it was not until my physician; but read to consult my physic

ing, which caught fire soon after the

blaze was discovered.

As it is known that about twenty persons sleep in the Pike Building, there were at first reports that several lives had been lost, but none of these reports has een confirmed.

Henrietta Crosman, who was playing at Pike's in "The Sword of the King." lost all her scenery and costumes. She will be compelled to cancel some dates and her loss will seriously interfere with her stated at 1.30 A. M. and was not really under control until almost 10 o'clock. The entire block bounded by Fourth, Vine, Wainut and Baker streets is in ruins.

ONE MANACCUSED

BY 24 WIDDWS

BY 25 WILL severated interest in progress the organizated into a mere employment agency.

"My brother and I worked heart and I worked

Little Italian Miss Coyly Admits in Police Court that She Was Married Twice Within Seven Days.

Caroline Russi, who says she is eighmorning he will have to tell a keeper teen years old and looks younger, adin three years. If he is not a good that she had married two husbands in prisoner it will be 1908 or thereabouts one week. But she would not go into details, simply shrugging her pretty shoul-Jacob was a bearded Lothario. He ders and smiling coquettishly at the

and make any woman love him, but his As her husband-the first one. Palimo cialty was widows. In Lothario- Critello-could not prosecute her, his

# \$3,000,000 FIRE MAY SUE CLUB LADY ON EDITORIAL IN CINCINNATI FOR \$50,000. STAFF OF LEADING RELIGIOUS WEEKLY

Against German Housewives' Sends the Following Grand Testimonial to the Merits of Cuticura Remedies in the Treatment of Humours of the Blood, Skin and Scalp.

gone, and my neck now seems to be

perfectly well.

"About five or six years ago my sister had a similar experience. She

had two large lumps come under

her right arm, the result of a sprain.

They grew rapidly, and our physician wanted to cut them out. I would not listen to it, and she tried

the Cuticura Remedics (as I did a few months ago) with magical effect. In six weeks' time the lumps had

entirely disappeared, and have never

"I have great faith in the Cuticura Remedies, and I believe they might

be as efficacious in similar cases with other people, and thus save

much suffering, and perhaps life. I have derived so much benefit from

others to use them. Re-cently I recommended

them to an office boy for his father, who was dis-

abled with salt rheum. The man's feet were

swollen to an enormous size, and he had not worked for six weeks. Two bottles of Cuticura

Resolvent and two boxes of Cuticura Ointment

worked a perfect cure.

You never saw a more

grateful man in your life.

"I am very much in-terested in another case

where I have recom-

mended Cuticura just

now. My housemaid's mother has a goitre which had reached a

very dangerous point. The doctors told her

that nothing could be done; that she could live

only two or three weeks,

and that she would die

of strangulation. She

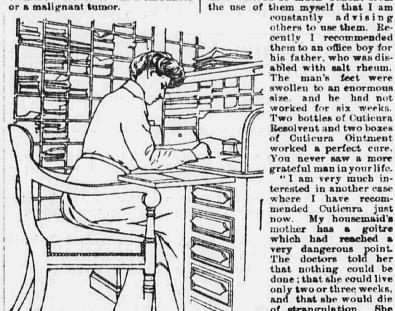
was confined to her bed.

and was unable to speak, when her daughter, at my suggestion, tried the effect of the Cuticura Ointment

and Cuticura Resolvent. Strange to

say, she was very shortly relieved of

No Lives Lost So Far as Known, and By This Order She is Restored to the efficiency of the Cuticura Reme-Temporary Membership and Says dies in what seems to me two somewhat remarkable cases. I had a She Will Attend Meetings When sumber of skin tumours - small ones - on my arms which had never given me serious trouble; but about two years ago one came on my throat. At first it was only about as large as a pinhead, but, as it was in a position where my collar, if not just right, would irritate it, it soon became very sensitive and began to became very sensitive and began to grow rapidly. Last spring it was as large, if not larger, than a bean. A little unusual irritation of my collar started it to swelling, and in a day or two it was as large as half an orange. I was very much alarmed, and was at a loss to determine whether it was a carbuncle



go. Instead I got a small bottle of Cuticura Resolvent and a box of Cuticura Ointment. I took the former according to directions, and spread a thick layer of the Ointment on a linen cloth and placed it on the swelling. On renewing it I would bathe my neck in very warm water and Cuticura Soap. In a few days the Cuticura Cintment had drawn the Cuticura Cintment had drawn the swelling to a head, when it broke. Every morning it was opened with a large sterilized needle, squeezed and bathed, and fresh Cintment put on. Pus and blood, and a yellow, cheesy, tumorous matter came out. In about three or four weeks' time this treatment completely eliminated boil and tumor. The soreness that had ex-

the most distressing symptoms. The swelling seemed to be exteriorized, and she is now able to be around her house, and can talk as well as "It seems to me that I have pretty

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for early spring wear, sizes 3 to 8 years, regular 5.00.... 3.98 double breasted styles, sizes 6 to 16 years, regular 4.50.... 2.98

125th Street West, bet. Lenox and Seventh Aves.

# As her husband—the first one. Palims specialty was widows also had a system. He read all the Yiddish papers published on the East Side. In these parameters were not societies. It was lacob a system to get acquainted with the widows who and the properties of inconduction. After accumulating state of the properties of inconduction. After accumulating system to insent as follows: "The properties of widows who are accounted the properties of inconduction. After accumulating system to insent as follows: "If my tallor shop I have a lot of the state of the state

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300 Dozen Ladies' Imported Black Lace Lisle Thread, all Lace and Lace Ankles, variety of patterns.

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\$3.50 Rockers, \$2.25. Arm Rockers, high fancy back, broad arms, solid oak, cane seat, turned

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riety of colorings and pat-terns, 4 yards by 2 yards, \$4.50 121/2c. Percaline, 8c.

Lining Percaline, fast black, good, 8c durable quality, yd., 45c. Bed Sheets, 39c. Bed Sheets, 81x90, heavy, bleached,

linen finish, seam in centre (6 .39 to customer), each, Torchon Laces, Etc., Yard, 5c

Torchon Laces, Point de Paris, with Insertions to match, also wide 5c cotton Laces, yard,

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up to 15c., yd., Towelling, Yard, 3c. Towelling, unbleached twilled, linen finish, yard,

\$1.25 Cluster Scarfs, 75c. Electric Seal Scarfs, cluster shape, with six full tails, chain attach-

French's Improved Bay Rum, 1/2 8c pint bottle, 50c. Printed Foulards, 39c. ,000 yards of printed Foulards, all

1/2 Pint Bay Rum, 8c.

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Tucked Chiffon Hats, high grade, 9 distinct and stylish shapes, 80 50c. Muslin Curtains, 30c. iled muslin Curtains, pair,

Women's 25c. Vests, 121/2c. | 121/2c. Ginghams, 61/4c. Yard.

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15c. Underwaists, 10c. Children's knit Underwaists, sizes 3 4, 5, 6, 7 and 9, in Corset .10

Fancy Waistings, Yard, 18c. 000 yards fancy Waistings, consisting of the most desirable shades .18 of the season, yard,

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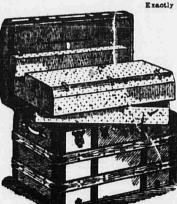
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